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Name of Patentee: Yutaka Machida  
Title of Invention: DECODING AND CODING METHOD OF MOVING IMAGE SIGNAL, AND  
DECODING AND CODING APPARATUS OF MOVING IMAGE SIGNAL USING  
THE SAME

**REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION OF PATENT  
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At Column 10, line 21, "block N+1 based on steps a) and b)." should read --block N+1.-- as indicated in the Substitute Appeal Brief filed April 23, 2007. **NOTE - THE AMENDMENT PROPERLY FILED ON February 27, 2004 APPEARS TO NOT HAVE BEEN ENTERED**

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At Column 12, line 2, "pixel blacks" should read --pixel blocks-- as indicated in the Substitute Appeal Brief filed April 23, 2007.

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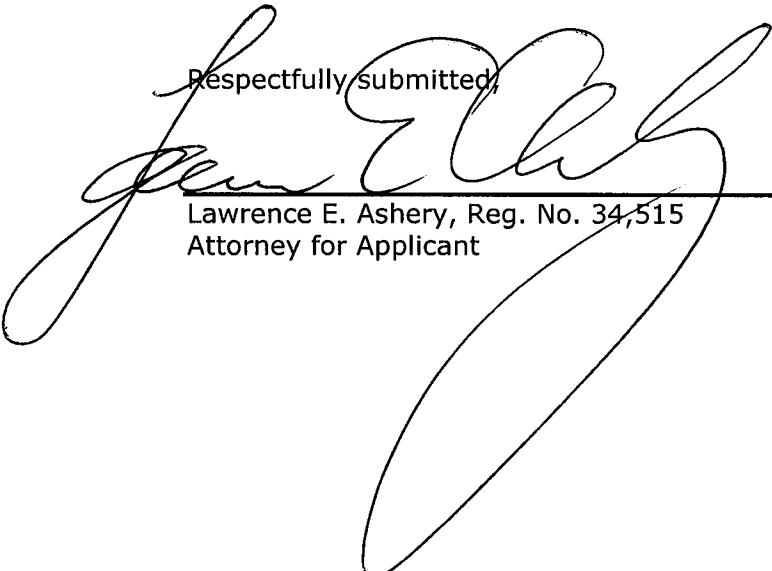
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